

GEFS NAEFS and Operational Weather Forecasting Training Workshop Agenda

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
08:00	Overview of NWP methods Zoltan Toth	Understanding Climate Part I: Regional Climate Willem Landman	Lab 2C Identify and forecast heavy rainfall Event of 23-25 Feb 07	Probabilistic forecasts and climate data Richard Grumm	Best forecasts practices Richard Grumm
09:00	Chaos theory and forecast uncertainty Zoltan Toth	Understanding Climatology Part II: Case Studies Wassila Thiaw	Lab 2C (Cont'd)	Special Session: Introduction to WINGRIDDS Sergio Buque	Case study and model performance I Richard Grumm
10:15	Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Coffee Break
10:30	Model Jumpiness Richard Grumm	Statistical concepts using ensemble data Bill Bua	Lab 2D Practice Tropical Cyclone Favio, 21 Feb 07	WINGRIDDS (Cont'd)	Case study and model performance II Bill Bua
11:30	NAEFS and CMC EPS Zoltan Toth	Probabilistic ensemble forecast products Bill Bua	Lab 2D (Cont'd)	WINGRIDDS (Cont'd)	Model performance II (Cont'd) Bill Bua
12:30	Lunch Break	Lunch Break	Lunch Break	Lunch Break	Lunch Break
14:00	Ensemble Products Bill Bua	Lab2A Relating potential threat to uncertainty Event of 20-21 Jan 07 Richard Grumm	Ensemble probabilistic forecasts verifications Zoltan Toth	WINGRIDDS (Cont'd)	Country working groups
15:00	GEFS and forecasting significant weather Bill Bua	Lab2A (cont'd)	Operational use of bias corrected ensemble data Richard Grumm	WINGRIDDS Practice	Country working groups (Cont'd)
16:15	Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Coffee Break
16:30	Lab 1 Accessing NCEP GEFS data, Bill Bua/ Richard Grumm	Lab 2B Cold season case 27 June 2007 Bill Bua	Case dependent variations in forecast skill Zoltan Toth	WINGRIDDS Practice	Country presentations

18:00	End of day	End of day	End of day	End of day	End of day
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